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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1881.

For Sale.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON: F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & Goron, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. - SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, LeadenhallStreet. 🕆

PARIS AND EUROPE :- GALLIEN PRINCE, 36, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK :- ANDBEW WIND, 133, Nas-

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEV ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- Bean & Black, San Fran-SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :- SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore., C. HEINSZEN

CHINA: Macao, Messis A. A. DE MELLO CARRIAGE CLOCKS, MORDAN'S GOLD Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY PRESENTS, &c. & Walsh. Yokohama, Lane, Chaw-FORD & Co.

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Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

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PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollarsi RESERVE FUND,......1,900,000 Dollars:

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-A. Molver, Esq.

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Hongkong, April 12, 1881.

To Let.

ODOWNSTO LEI PRATA EAST AND WINCHAI BOAD. For Particulars, apply to SIKMSSEN & Co. Hougkong, January 21, 1881;

No. 8. HOLLEWOOD ROAD, from let Chillery ...

DAVID BASSOON BONS & Co. Hongkong, November 28, 1881.

J. NOBLE, GOLDSMITH & JEWELLER, DEGS to intimate that he has JUST RECEIVED a VERY FINE SELECTION of JEWELLERY in the Latest I signs and Highest Class of Workmanship. SUITES in DIAMONDS, RUBIES, SAP-

PHIRES, and PEARLS; BROOCHES, PEND-ANTS, LOCKETS, EARRINGS, GENTS' PINS and STUDS. A Specially Selected Assonment of GEM

RINGS, of quality, style, finish and excellence of design. SILVER and ELECTRO PLATE.

DRAWING and DINING-ROOM CLOCKS. & Co. Swatow, Campbell & Co. and SILVER PENCIL CASES, OPERA and Foochow, HEDGE & Co. Shanghai, FIELD GLASSES, CHRISTENING

8, Queen's Roan, Hongkong. Hongkong, December 10, 1881.

T ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. __ARE PREPARED TO SUPPLY LANTERNS.

CANDLES, &c., &c., &c. for the purpose of the Illumination.

ORDERS must please be given before SATURDAY, 3rd December.

FOR SALE.

Hongkong, November 29, 1881.

THIS SEASON'S FIGS. direct from Smyrna . LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, November 24, 1881.

FOR SALE.

TULES MUMM & CHAMPAGNE - GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

FOR SALE.

JUST ARRIVED BY THE PESHAWUR. MENUINE PORT WINE. M. DE SOUZA GUEDES' well-known

BRANDS:-BLACK LABEL, with 3 Grapes, per Case of 1 dozen Quarts,.....\$18. BLACK LABEL, with 2 Grapes, per Case of 1 dozen Quarts, \$161. WHITE LABEL, per Case of 1 dozen Quarts,\$13.

> F. J. V. JORGE, At Messrs Russell & Co.'s.

Hongkong, December 7, 1881. WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese. XYASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

ELEGANT ENGLISH, PARISIAN & CHINA-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE:-GRAND PIANO BY CHICKERING HANDSOME BILLIARD TABLE PHELAN: MARBLE & BRONZE STATUETTES : ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, GLASS & CROCKERY,

&c., T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to Sell by Public

THURSDAY & FRIDAY

the 15th and 16th December, 1881, com mencing each day at 2 o'Clock p.m., at St John's Place, the Residence of THOMAS C. HAYLLAR, Esq., Q.C.,...

The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. consisting of :--

Hall .- HANDSOME CARVED TABLES, CHAIRS, MARBLE and BRONZE STATUETTES, ENGRAVINGS, HAT STANDS, &C. Dining Room, CARVED SIDEBOARD, MA-HOGANY WHATNOT, MAHOGANY MOROCCO-COVERED CHAIRS and COUCHES, MANTEL-PIECE MIRROR and CLOCK, BRONZE CANDLE-

ADBUM, CHYSTAL GASALIERS and BRACKETS, ENGRAVINGS: ELECTRO-PLATED, GLASS and CROCKERY WARE Drawing Room. - HANDSOME PARISIAN DRAWING ROOM SUITS in SATIN, CARVED by Public Auction, on TABLES, CHIPPORIER, MANTELPIECE MIR-EOR, ROSEWOOD GRAND BOUARS PIANO by

CHICKERING & Sons, WINDOW CURTAINS, the 22nd December, 1881, at 2 p.m., at his H. M.'s Naval Yard, FINE COLLEGION of BRONZE and PORCELAIN Studio, Queen's Road, No. 6, next door to Hongkong, 19th November, 1881. Library .- PARISIAN SUITE IN BLUE, MA-HOORNY BOOK CASES, CARVED and WALKUT

TABLES, FIRE OIL PAINTINGS, WINDOW CURTAINS, A VALUABLE COLLECTION OF Books, &c. Billiard Room .- AN OAKWOOD BILLIARD TABLE of Superion Finish by Phalan, with Curs, Batts: MARKING BOARD, LAMPS: Hed Rooms - HAMINSOME BRASE and IRON

Chairs. &c. Bausinans, with Spains and House ware MATTRESES, LADY'S MAHOGANY WARD ROBES, with MIRROR PROBT, DESSING TABLE, WARHSTANDS and SERVICES, CHESTS of DRAWERS, DOUBLE and SINGLE THAK-WOOD WARDROBES, MAHOGANY and TEAK. WOOD WRITING TIBLES, &C., &C. Alex

A Fine Collection of CHOICE PLANTS IN POTS. Catalogues will be issued, and the Furni-

ture will be on view the day previous k the Sale. Turis - As usualo LANE CRAWFORD & Co.,"

Auctioneers. Hongkong, December 3, 1881.

For Sale.

CHRISTMAS 1881. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

TABLE DELICACIES AND FANCY ARTICLES. UR STOCK to PRESENT SEASON is now Complete and Ready for

PLUM PUDDINGS, MINCEMEAT, CHRISTMAS, CAKES, FANOY BISCUITS FRUITS in NOYEAU, SYRUP or BRANDY, CRYSTALIZED and METZ FRUITS, ASSORTED CANDIED PEELS, MESCATEL RAISINS and JORDAN ALMONDS, FRENCH PLUMS, FRENCH JAMS, JELLIES, &c.

PATÉ DE FOIE GRAS, ASSORTED PATÉS; OX-TONGUES in JELLY COLLARED, SPICED and SMOKED; ANCHOVEY PASTE, POTTED MEATS and JAME, RUSSIAN CAVIARE, FRENCH TRUFFLES, &c., &c.

PRIME STILTON CHEESE AND YORK HAMS.

FANCY SWEETS AND CHARCOLATES.

All the Newest THINGS in COSAQUES :- RURAL DELIGHT, YE OLD ENGLISH, ÆSTHETIC, QUITE TOO UTTERLY CONSUMMATE, WHO WILL SAY YES? COURTSHIP, MATRIMONY, FAMILY, ROMEO and JULIET, DUBLIN and LIVERPOOL COSTUMES, EXHIBITION of OLD MASTERS, CAPTIVATING, CLASSICAL, MAGIC ROSES, WREATHS, Flowers, &c., &c.

TOYS in Great Variety.

PHOTO. FRAMES, a Large and New Assortment of ALBUMS, DRESSING CASES, WORK BOXES, GLOVE and HANDKERCHIEF SETS, FANCY BAGS, PERFUME CASES, BLOTTING CASES, CIGAR CASES, POCKET BOOKS, PURSES. ELECTRO-PLATED GOODS, NEW FLOWER VASES, CARD TRAYS, JEWELLERY CASES, WATCH STANDS, &c., &c.

MENU and GUEST CARDS in New Designs. CHRISTMAS and BIRTHDAY-CARDS. NEW CORRESPONDENCE CARDS and TINTED PAPER in Fancy Boxes.

BIRTHDAY and PRESENTATION BOOKS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1881.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

TUST RECEIVED-A Parcel of Splendidly Assorted FANCY GOODS, Suitable for CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

Also, A Large Assortment of TOYS in endless variety. Our General Drapery, Silk and Dress Departments have been Newly furnished by the

Last French and English Mails. BLACK SILKS and SATINS MORIE STRIPED SILKS and SATINS (very fashionable). STRIPED VELVETS

EMBOSSED VELVETS and VELVETEENS. NUN'S VEILING. BLACK SILK VELVETS and VELVETEENS. NEW DRESS GOODS, in the latest Novelties, from 25

Cents per Yard. FLANNELS, BLANKETS, BED and TABLE LINENS, &c., &c., &c. Also, FANCY LACE GOODS, a very large Assortment.

A n dA Large Lot of WOOL and CREWEL WORK at Half-price.

ROSE AND COMPANY,

31 & 33, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, November 25, 1881.

Intimations.

TEALED TENDERS will be Received.

of MONDAY, the 19th Instant, for RE-

NEWAL of PAVING in TIMBER STORE,

&c. at this Yard, according to Specification

which can be seen at the STOREREEPER'S

The right to reject the lowest or any

HE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to INVITE TENDERS for

the PURCHASE of that VALUABLE

RIVERSIDE PROPERTY known as the

"British Naval Yard," Shanghai, com

prising about 44 Mow of LAND, with a

HIVER PRUNTAGE of 1,200 Feet, together

with the WHARVES, GODOWNS, DWELLING

to the "Paymaster-in-Charge," Shanghai

from whom full Particulars may be obtained,

as well as information as to the Conditions

The right to reject the highest or any

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

TOTICE is hereby given, that an Extra-

SHAREHOLDERS in the Canton Insur-

(Resolution.)

That the Company be wound up volun-

terily as from the Blat December,

1881, under the Provisions of the

Companies Ordinances, 1865 and

1877, and that the Honorable

FRANCIS BULKELEY JOHNSON and

are hereby appointed LIQUIDA

Dated the 9th day of December, 1881.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

winding up.

TORS, for the purpose of such

General Agents.

E. B. JOREY,

Naval Storekseper.

Offers in Sealed Covers to be addressed

E; B, JOREY,

Nunal Storekeeper.

Tender is reserved.

Houses thereupon.

H. M. Naval Yard.

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1881.

by the Undersigned on or before Noon

POSTPONEMENT.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION THE Undersigned have received instruc-I tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY. the 19th of December, 1881, at 12 o'Clock Noon, at their Sales Room,-THE ANAMITE STEAMER

"LI-TAI." of about 38,000 Piculs Carrying Capacity.

THE ANAMITE STEAMER "SHUN-TIP,

of shout 4,800 Piculs Carrying Capacity. The above Vessers are in good Order and the Boilers are quite new; they will be SOLD, as they are now lying at Yow-MA-TRE, in Separate Lots. TERMS.—Cash on the fall of the hammer,

The Lots to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. For further Particulars, apply to SHUN WO YUEN & Co... No. 100, Wing Lok St.;

ECA DA SILVA & Co.,

Hongkong, December 10, 1881. ART AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Baron Stillysied, to Sell

THURSDAY, the Chartered Bank .--

A FINE COLLECTION OF WATER-COLORS, To some of which First Prizes were awarded at late Exhibitions. PHOTO CRAYONS, COLORED and PLAIN PHOTOGRAPHS, &c., &c. The above will be on view on Monday, the 12th December. TERMS. -As customary.

G. R. LAMMERT Auctioneer. de22 for Confirmation as a special Resolution. Hongkong, December 9, 1881.

AH-YON & Co., CHIP'S COMPRADORE, STRVEDORN BALLASTER AND WATER SUPPLIER Hongkong and Whampon, of the same Proprietors. Keep on hand and for Sale, well asserted Oilman's Stores and Coal of all kinds. Shipping supplied at the shortest notice with all kinds of Ballast and fresh Provisions at moderate charges. F 59. Wind Hing STREET. Hongkong, June 15, 1881. 1ja82

TICTORLAREGATTA

Intimations.

TWENTY-SIXTH MEETING.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, 23RD AND 24TH DECEMBER, 1881.

Patron: -His Excellency Sir John Pore Hènnessy, K.C.M.G. Vice Patrons : - His Excellency Vice- Ports on THURSDAY, the 15th Inst., at Admiral WILLES, C.B., R.N.; His Excel- Daylight. lency Lieut, General Donovan; Commodoro W. H. Cumno, R.N. Stewards :- Hon: F. B. Johnson, H. du

C. Fornes, Esq.; A. McIver, Esq.; Colonal

HALL, R.A.; Captain R. E. TRACY, H.M.S. Inniskillings; H. Hoppius, Esq. Committee :- T. Jackson, Esq., - (Chairman), E. L. WOODIN, Esq.; W. HYNES, Esq.; DR CLOUTH; J. A. BENNETT, 27th Regiment; Liout. Balliston, R.N.; H. J. H. TRIPP, Esq.; A. P. McEWEN, Esq.; R. COOKE, ESG.; E. BEART, ESQ.; R. K. LEIGH, Esq., (Hon., Secretary).

Judges :- J. P. McEuen, Esq., R.N., and H. J. H. Taipe, Esq. Umpires and Starters :- Rowing,-W. HYNES, Esq., E. L. WOODIN, Esq. Yachts, -E. BEART, Esq. Open Sailing Boats,-E. BURNIE, Esq. Judge of Sailing Races : - Captain J. JONES, R.N.

FIRST DAY.

Friday, 23rd December, 1881. FIRST RACE. -- 1 P.M. -- "Junior Sculls."

For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Entrance, 85. Distance, One Mile. Prize, "Brokers' Cup." Open to any one gyho has never won a Sculling Race in China or Japan.

Second Race.—1.30 p.m.—For Gigs pulled by European Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison, or by European Members of the Police Force. Distance, One Mail. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$15; Second, \$5. Outrigged Boats excluded. THIRD RACE.—2 P.M.—The "Chairman's Cup." For Four-Oared Canton Cut-

ters. Distance, One-mile-a-half. Entranco, 810. FOURTH RACE. -2.30 F.M. -- For Men-ofwar's Gigs and Whalers. Distance. One Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$15; Second, \$5. Time allowed for Oars,—8 seconds per Oar.

FIFTH RACE. -- 3 P.M. -- "German Cup. To be rowed in Canton Eours. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$10. SIXTH RACE. —3.30 P.M. —For House Boats and Gigs Pulled by Chinamen. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$15; Second, \$5. Time for Oars,--6 seconds per Oar.

SEVENTH RACE .- 4 P.M. -- "Ladies' Purse. For pair Oared Ontrigged Gigs. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$5. SAILING RACE .- For Men-of-war's Boats. any rig. Entranne, \$2. First Prize, \$20 : Second, \$10. SAILING RACE .- For Sailing Ships' Boats only. Entrance; \$2. First Prize,

\$20; Second, \$10. YACHT RACE. For All Yachts. Entrance, \$5. Time for Tonnage. Cup presented by the Victoria Recreation Club.

SECOND DAY, Saturday, 24th December, 1881. FIRST RACE.—1 P.M.—For Gigs pulled by European Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison, or by European Members of the Police Force. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, 81, First Prize, \$18: Second, \$5... Winner of Second Race on first day, and Outrigged Boats

excluded. COND RACE. -1.30 P.M. - International Race. "Challenge Cup,"-with presentation prize given by the Merchants and Steam Navigation Companies of Hongkong. For Four-Oared Canton Cutters. Distance, One Mile. This Cup to be won two consecutive years before being finally held. Entrance. THIRD RACE. -2 P.M. -For House Boats

Gigs pulled by Chinamen. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize \$15; Second, \$5. Winner of Sixth Race on first day excluded. Time for Oars, -6 seconds per Oar. FOURTH RACE. - 2.30 P.M. - "American Cup." To be rowed in Canton Fours. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$10. FIFTH RACE. - 3 P.M. - For Men of War's

Cutters. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$1. First Prize, \$20; Second \$10. No time allowed for Oars. exth Race.—3.30 p.m.—For Pair Oared Outrigged Gigs. Cup presented by Victoria Regreation Club. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$5. Winner Ladics' Purse excluded. SEVENTH RACE. -- 4 P.M. -- To be rowed in

5 or 6-Oared Royal Naval Gigs or Whalers, by Officers of H. M.'s Fleet in harbour. Cup presented by the Members of the Hongkong Club. Time for Oars, - 6 seconds per Car. Eighth Race. 4.30 P.M. - "Members" Cup,"-presented by Members of the Victoria Recreation Club, For Four-Qared Canton Cutters, Distance. One-mile-and-a-half. Entrance. 810. Winner of "The Chairman's Cup

excluded. SAILING RACE .- For All Open Bosts Chinese excluded Entrance, \$2 First Prize, \$20; Second, \$10. YACHT RACE .- For All Yachts Entrance. \$5. Handicap. Cup presented by ordinary General MEETING of the the Victoria Recreation Club.

N.B. -Entries for all Races will close on ANCE OFFICE will be Held at the Company's OFFICE on FRIDAY, the 23rd day of Monday, 19th December, at 6 p.m., and December, 1681, at Three of the Clock in must be sent in in writing to the How. the Afternoon, when the subjoined Resolu- SECRETARY giving name of Boat, Colour, tion, which was passed at the Extraordinary Number of Care, &c. Post Entries will be General Meeting of the Office held the 8th allowed for the "Flying Squadron" only. day of December, 1881, will be submitted R. K. LEIGH Hon Becretary, Pictoria Recreation Club.

> Hongkong, December 9, 1881. de24 WINDSOR HOUSE, Nos. 18 AND 19, BUND, YOKOHAMA.

THE above well-furnished HoraL commands a fine view of the Harbour and EDWARD FLEER ALFORD be, and they Shipping; and the building is surrounded by a large Verandah, which makes this resort the Coolest Hotel in the East. Charges - From \$2.50 to \$4 per day. Porter to land and ship Boggage,

Yokohama, Japan, Sept. 1881.

SMITH, SWIFT & Co.

Shipping.

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Steamers.

FOR HOIHOW, PAKHOI AND HAIPHONG. The Steamship

Capt. McCastin, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 13, 1881. Iron Duke; Lieut.-Colonel Geddes, 27th FOR SAN FRANCISCO, VIA NAGA-

> The Steamship " Mary Tatham." Captain GARLEY, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1881.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

. CALCUTTA. The Steamship "Lennox." Captain DAVID SCOTT, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 15th

Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 8, 1881.

FOR SWATOW. The Steamship Captain Schoen; will be despatched for the above " China." Port on FRIDAY, the 16th Instant, a Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to KWOK A-CHEONG & SONS. Hongkong, December 13, 1881. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The Departure of the Steamship
"Geelong"
for the above place POSTPONED until 3 p.m. on SATUR-DAY NEXT, the 17th Instant:

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, -Hongkong, December 13, 1881. del' AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR

A. McIVER.

Superintendent.

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL) CUTTA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS. JEDDAH, ODESSA, and the

MEDITERRANEAN PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the " Helios" 19th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co. Agents. Hongkong, December 5, 1881. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The Steamship Captain T. S. GARDNER, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 20th Inst.

at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., ._ Agents.

Hongkong, December 12, 1881. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS and taking through

Cargo to NEW ZEALAND.) The Eastern and Australian S Steamer tralian Steamship Coy.'s Capt. S. G. GREEN, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 24th Instant. at 12 o'Clock Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, December 10, 1881.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant RAPATEL, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from G. DE CHAMPEAUX

Hongkong, December 12, 1881. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Gurrand, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, December 12, 1881.

Agent.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS Notices of Firms.

> THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Messrs KYNOCH & Co., of WITTON, DEAT BIRMINGHAM. MEYER & Co.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM:

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON'VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. Billings, will be despatched on or about the 21st Instant

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, December 12, 1881.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship " Red Cross," J. E. HOWLAND, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to · RUSSELL & Co.

> FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1881.

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 28, 1881.

J. D. WYMAN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

The 3/3 L.1.1. German Bark " Humboldt," STOLL, Master, will load as

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co.

The 3/3 L.1.1. German Bark H. LAGEMANN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 18, 1881.

The A 1 British Ship Lowe, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, November 16, 1881.

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, un-10 a.m. To-DAY.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co. ...

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

A H (in cross), { 13/15=2 cases M'dises, Order, from London. J G S (In dia.), 114/15 2 cases Merchan-

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, December 13, 1881.

J. Belyez, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

FOR NEW YORK, The 3/3 L.1.1. American Bark " Hiram Emery,"

FOR HAMBURG (DIRECT.)

above, and will have quick de-

Hongkong, November 22, 1881. de22 FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

will have quick despatch.

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

THE S. S. Bothwell Castle, THOMBON. Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods—with the exception of Opium-are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained.

less notice to the contrary be given before No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 18th Instant will be subject to rent.

Hongkong, December 12, 1881.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery, This Cargo has been landed and stored at

Ex Yangtsé. R. No. 9, 1 case Flour, Order, from Ex Amazone.

disea, Order, from London. J M C (in dia.), 4/6=3 cases Merchandica. Order, from London

Hongkong, December 12, 1881.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, Angust 13, 1881.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. HAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE.

CHRISTMAS STORES AND NEW AND SEASONABLE G O O D S. **

EX FRENCH MAIL STEAMER MUSCATEL RAISINS. METZ FRUIT. 🦠

ASSORTED COSAQUES. CALLARD & BOWSER'S CONFECTIONERY BUTTER SCOTOH. HONEY SCOTCH.

ROSE TOFFEE. LEMON TOFFEE. Rose's LIME JUICE CORDIAL.

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- STILTON CHEESE. YORK HAMS CHRISTMAS CAKES. TEYBSONBAU'S DESSERT FRUITS. ALMONDS and RAISINS. SMÝRNA FIGS.

> PICNIC TONGUES. FILBERTS. COCOATINA. VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. Enemo's & Epr's COCOA. FRENCH' PLUMS:

HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS. TATE DE FOIE GRASI MINCEMEAT. CHOCOLATE-MENIER. SAUSAGES. BRAWN.

ISIGNY BUTTER. DANISH BUTTER. BREAKFAST TONGUES. ANCHOVIES. ASPARAGUS. SOUPS, &c.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

CHAMPAGNES-

HIRDSTECK'S MONOPOLE & WHITE VEUVE CLIQUOT PONSARDIN. JULES MUMM & Co., pints & quarts.

 ${f CLARETS}$ CHATEAU LA ROSE, pints &quarts. CHATEAU LAFITE, IRES, GRAVES BREAKFAST CLARET,

SHERRIES & PORT-SACCONE'S MANZANILLA & AMON-TILLADO. SACCONE'S OLD INVALID PORT

HUNT'S' PORT. BRANDY, WHISKY, HQUEURS, &c. -1, 2 & 3-star Hennessy's BRANDY. BISOUTE DUTOUCHE & Co.'s BRANDY FINEST OLD BOURBON WHISKY. KINAHAN'S LL WHISKY. ${f ROYAL}: {f GLENDEE_WHISKY}.$ CHARTREUSE. MARASCHINO. CURACAO.

 ${f ANGOSTURA}$ BOKER'S and ORANGE BITTERS. ∵ &c.,

BASS'S ALE, bottled by Cameron and Saunders, pints and quarts. GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. & J. Bunke, pints and quarts. PILSENER BEER, in quarts.

ALE and PORTER, in hogsheads.

EX AMERICAN MAIL Fresh ROLL BUTTER. Eastern and Californian CHEESE. Boneless CODFISH. Prime HAMS and BACON. Russian CAVIARE. Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. PEACH and APPLE BUTTER. Pickled OX-TONGUES. Family PIG-PORK in kegs and pieces. Paragon MACKEREL in 5 to cans. Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans. Cutting's Dessort FRUITS in 21 ib cans. Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.

Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage Stuffed PEPPERS. Assorted PICKLES. ${f MINCEMEAT}.$ COMB HONEY in Original Frames. Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted

Richardson & Robbin's Curried OYSTERS. Lunch TONGUE. McCarty's Sugar LEMONADE. Clam CHOWDER. Smoked SALMON. Green TURTLE in 21 to cans.

&c., &c.,

YACHT & PICNIC SUPPLIES.

ALIFORNIA RACKER OMPANY'S BISOUITS in 5 th

tins, and loose, Alphabetical BIS-CUITS.

Fancy Sweet Mixed BISCUITS. Ginger CAKES. Soda BISCUITS. Oyster BISCUITS.

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Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in 5 and 10 catty Boyes BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. ib. SHIPCHANDLERY of every Description. RIGGING and SAIL-MAKING promptly

executed. Hongkong, December 8, 1881.

Intimations.

STEAM LAUNCHES ALWAYS ON

LAUNCHES: named Com Loong, Cum Sing, on the Premium paid by them. Com Stenn. Capt Choir and Com On, now For the convenience of Shareholders, arlying in Harbone, begs to inform the Public rangements will be made for the transfer of that they are always ready for Hire at a Shares in London, as well as in Hongkong very reasonable and regular Charge either and for their registration by the Company for special jumposes or excursions. As re- at the Head Office in Hongkong. gards Carh Loong, Cam Sing, Cam Shun | It is proposed to offer Shareholders in the

Cum On, which was originally Built at the in the New Company to the extent of their expense of the Endersigned himself) they present interest in the Capital. all belonged to the Company, of which Applications for Shares should be ad-Undersigned and Tong KEE were Partners, dressed to the General Agents direct or Not long ago Tung Ken Ceased to Share through the several Agencies of the Old the Responsibility and Interest of the Office, in the amexed form, and will be re-FOUR LAUNCHES as above mentioned, and ceived in Hongkong, Shanghai and London received back immediately from the Under- until Saturday, the 24th instant, at noon, signed the money lie had formerly invested. The Undersigned will hereafter hold the Company, is one with Messrs JARDINE, Responsibility and Interest in all Five Marrison & Co. as General Agents. this Colony, without any interference from Memorandum and Articles of Association, Tuxo KEE, in the event of the Business may be inspected at the offices of Messrs proving remunerative. In order to prevent JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., and of Messrs future questions arising this Advertisement | BREBETON & WOTTON; Solicitors to the is specially published by

TOK KEE, In a Wooden House situated at Propa Centful, ofposite Scott Lane. 1 Hongkong, November 26, 1881. de26

THE SFAR EAST." THE ISSUES OF 1878 WANTED. Apply at this Officia, . . .

Hongkong, October 4, 1880. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

LIMITED.

nearparated in Hungkong ander the Companies' Ordinance of 1865, limiting the Limbility of the Shaveholders to the amount of their Shares.

DATE OF FORMATION AS AN UNLIMITE Company, A.D. 1835.

n 10,000 Shares of \$250 per Share, \$50 per Shary being paid fife, viz: \$10 on Application, and \$40 or Allouneut. No further calls are intended to be made.

Applications for Shares will be received simultaneously in Hongkong, Shanghai, and London.

Committee. The Hon, P. RYRIE, of Messrs Turner & H. L. Dalbymple, Esq., of Messra Birley F. D. Sassoon, Esq., of Messrs D. Sassoon,

Livingston & Co. The Hori F. B. Johnson, of Messre

Jardine, Matheson & Co. (Chairman.)

Bonkers.HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING Corporation.

Solicitors. Messrs. Brerefox & Wotton. Auditors. A. P. MacEwen, Esq.

Henry Smith, Esq. General Agents. Messes, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Hougkong.

PROSPECTUS.GENERAL desire having been, expressed in favour of forming a Limited Company of the old established. CHINA MARINE INSURANCE OFFICE, known as THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, it has heen decided to constitute a New Office, to commence business on 1st January, 1882, under the general management of Messrs JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., of China. All accounts relating to the Old_Office will be closed to the 31st December, 1881. and the Office wound up, no liability whatever being taken over for outstanding risks

· DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the otherwise, by the New Company. The Company, however, will be at liberty to accept as re-insurances, any of the outstanding risks of the Old Office which they may deem advisable.

The losiness of the Office will be Marine Insurance in all its branches, as shewn in the Memorandum of Association, and the change of constitution now effected has been made with a view of dividing the chief share of the profits amongst all contributors of Premium, instead of the whole profits being divided, as heretofore, amongst Sharchol-

The net profits, declared from time to time by the Consulting Committee, will be appropriated as follows, and in the following order of priority:-1. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent

per annum (non-cumulative) on the paid up Capital of the Office; and it will be provided by the Articles of Association that ad inferim payments may be declared and distributed half-

2. In the establishment and mainten--ance-of-a-Reserve-Eurid_of_\$500.000 (Five hundred thousand Dollars). 3. In making a return to all contribu- | THE FIRND, THE FAINT, AND THE FEMALES. tors of premium, whether Share-

holders or not, in proportion to the amounts of premium paid. The Reserve Fund will be formed by annual appropriations of not more than 30 per cent. of the profits of the year, after payment of a 10 per cent, dividend to

The Interest accruing on the Reserve Fund will be the property of the Shareholders, and will be distributed pro rata amongst the Shareholders as may appear most expedient from time to time. The Reserve Fund will be credited as

above provided for until it shall reach \$500,000, at which sum it will be maintained by further appropriations on the foregoing basis, as may be necessary from time to time It will remain the property of Shareholder's and will be applicable only to meeting contingencies deemed exceptional by the Consulting Committee, and to equalising Dividends. For the more effectual security of the Shareholders, it will be invested apart from the other Funds of the Company in such special securities as the

Consulting Committee may from time to

After providing for the 10 per cent, interest to Shareholders and for the Reserve Fund and interest thereon in manner above mentioned, the remaining net profits in each year will be divided as Bornes amongst all contributories of Fremium whether such contributories are Shareholders in the Company or not, and in proportion to the amount of net premium contributed by

them respectively. It is intended that the Agencies of the Old Office, established at all well-known ports throughout the World, shall be continued, and made available for the New above on FRIDAY, the 23rd Inst., at Noon.

The success which has attended the working of the Old Office during a period of nearly half-a-contury is well known; and

Intimations.

from the results hitherto obtained, it may be confidently anticipated that supporters of the New Company, as surplus profits THE Undersigned, being the Proper will now be divided amongst all contributors I Owner of the following Five STEAM of business, will receive a handsome return

and Cum Choic, (with the exception of Old Office a preferential Allotment of Shares,

The only Contract entered into by the LAUNCHES, and will Carry on Business in | Copies of the above Contract, and of the

> JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 8th Dec., 1881.

FORM OF APPLICATION. >

-December ..., 1881.To Messes Jardine, Matheson & Co., General Agents of The Canton Insurance Office, Limited, Hongkong.

.....enclose you the sum of \$.....being: deposit of \$10 per Share on Shares it the above-named Company, and A ... request you to allot to that number of Shares upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus, dated the 8th December, 1881, andhereby agree to accept the same or anysmaller number that may be allotted to.... and to pay the balance of \$40 per Share on allotment as provided by the said Prospectus, and ... nauthorize you to registeras holder of the said Shares.

..... agree to subscribe the Articles Association when required. Name in full Descriptions

. Signature.....

Notices to Consignees.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FROM TRIESTE, BOMBAY, A. T. MANGER, Esq., of Messis Douglas COLOMBO, PENANG & SINGAPORE.

H. F. DARRY, Esqt, of Messrs Gibb, I THE Company's S.S. Helioshaving arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence delivery may b Consignees wishing to receive their Goods

on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Good remaining, after the 19th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, December 12, 1881.

To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL. SATURDAY & MONDAY 17th and 19th December.

HE WANDERERS PYGMALION & GALATEA, An entirely Original Mythological

COMEDY, in Three Acts. Dramatis Persona. Pygmalion (an Athe-) Mr P. WILLARD. nian sculptor)... Chrysos (an Art-Mr Russell. Leucippe (soldier) ... Mr N. CARLTON Agesimos (Chrysos's Mr Braid. slave),.... Mimos (Pygmalion's Mr Hersby. slave),.... Galatea (an animated Miss A. Beresford. Cynisca (Pygmalion's Miss A. VERNIE. wife),..... Daphne (Chrysos's) Miss V. Lyle.

Myrine (Pygmalion's Miss C. CARLTON. In active Preparation A GRAND CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME "HARLEQUIN BLUEBEARD;

"THE FAIRY GROTTO OF THE PERIS OF PARADISE."

The whole to be produced with Limelight Prices of Admission:

Balcony and Stalls, \$2; Pit, \$1. Doors open at 8.30; Commence at 9 p.m. Hongkong, December 14, 1881.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Steamship
"Namoa,"
Capt. Westory, will be
despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 18th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1881, de18

FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for all NEW ZEALAND and TASMANIAN PORTS, NEW

CALEDONIA and FLIL)

The Steamship will be despatched as For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, December 14, 1881.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship "Glenfinlas," Capt. H. G. Wilcox, will be despatched for the above Post TO-MORROW, the 15th Inet., Canton.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1881/ del5 FOR SHANGHAL

The Steamship "Chinking," Captain Oan, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 15th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1881. FOR BANGKOK VIA SWATOW-The Steamship

"Ashington,"
Captain Allason, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 16th Inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 14, 1881. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship "" Glenfaltoch."

SIEMSSEN & Co.

Captain E. F. PARK, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 29th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1881.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Glenartney having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Opium—are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m. To DAY, the 14th December. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 21st Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1881.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, AND LONDON BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ANI

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on MONDAY, the 26th December, 1881, at 4 p.m. Cargo will be received on board unti 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will transhipped at Point de Galle: but Tea and General Cargo at Bombay, arriving one

week later than by the direct route vid For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong, The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. Passengers to England are now Booked to London, instead of Southampton, as heretofore. A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Omners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkony Harbour:-ABTEMISIA, British barque, Captain D. Macfarlane.—Order.

CEVION, American barque, Captain F. Hallett.—Russell & Co. CRUSADER, British steamer, Captain T Rowin .- Geo. R. Stevens & Co. Elise, German barque, Captain C. Fred. Bruhn.—Wieler & Co. GITANILLA, British barque, Capt. F. J. Hunt.—Order.

Hammonia, German barque, Captain Weller.—Siemssen & Co. Hera, German barque, Capt. L. Grimm. -Melchers & Co. HIRAM EMERY, American barque, Capt.

J. P. Wymar.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. IRAZU, British barque, Captain W. A. Pearce.—Order. LENNOX, British steamer, Capt. D. Scott -Jardine, Matheson & Co. Louis Eugene, French barque, Captain Menard.—Carlowitz & Co. NICOLAS THAYER, Amer. barque, Capt.

Robt. S. Crosby.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. PANAY, American ship, Captain S. P. Bray, Jr.—Adamson, Bell & Co. RIBSTON, British barque, Captain John Tuckey, Melchers & Co. Syren, American ship, Captain G. W. Brown. - Douglas Lapraik & Co. VALIANT, American ship, Captain M. J. Daly. -- Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

WALTIERA, Russian ship, Captain J. G. Hjelt.-Captain. SHIPPING

MARRIVAIS:

Dec. 13, Esmevalda, British steamer, 395,

R. Talbot, Manila Dec. 10, General.

RUSSHLL & Co. Dec. 14, Glenfinias, British steamer, 1408, H. G. Wilcox, Foochow Dec. 12, noon, Tea. de23 - Jardine, Matheson & Co.

ARRIVALS. Dec. 14, Pautah, Chinese stennier, 864,

Patterson, Shanghai Dec. 11, General.—C M. S. N. Co. Dec. 14, Amoy, British steamer, 814; C. Herrmann, Shanghai Dec. 11, General -Stemssen & Co.

Dec. 14. Pechili, British steamer, from Dec. 14, Glenartney, British steamer, 1399, A. J. Jacobs, London Oct. 29, and Singapore Doc. 7, General.—JARDINE, MA-THESON & Co.

Dec. 14, Chinkiang, British steamer, from

Dec. 14, Kamtchatka, British steamer, 702, Peter Hussey, Shanghai Dec. 11 General.—C. M. S. N. Co. Dec. 14, Heihow, British steamer, from

Dec. 14, Yung ching, Chinese steamer, from Canton. Dec. 14, Decima, German steamer, 1151, Peterson, Keelung Deca 12, Coal.-JARdine, Matheson & Co. -

DEPARTURES.

Dec. 14. Achilles, for Shanghai. 14, Vladivostock, for Saigon. 14, Kivangtung, for Coast Ports. 14, Sim Hong, Chinese gunboat, for 14. Pautah, for Canton. 14, Amoy, for Canton.

14, Sunda, for Nagasaki & Yokohama. 14, Pechili, for Swatow and Shanghai. 14, Dale, for Bangkok. 14, Hardwick, for Shanghai. 14, Kamtchatka, for Canton.

CLEARED. Antener, for Yokohama. Glenfinlas, for London, &c.

Hothow, for Shanghai. PASSENCERS.

Per Esmeralda, from Manila, Mr Juan Kwoop, 86 Chinese, and 7 Europeans, deck. Per Glenfinias, from Foochow, Mrs Johnson and neice for Hongkong, and Mr Leigh

Per Pautah, from Shanghai, Mr A Hunter, and 32 Chinese. Per Amoy, from Shanghai, Sir James Bean, and 70 Chinese. Per Glenariney, from London, Mr Watt; from Singapore, 28 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Kwangtung, for Foochow, Mr Thos. \mathbf{B} owman Per Achilles, for Shanghai, 8 Europeans and 23 Chinese.

Per Vladivostock, for Saigon, 12 Chinese Per Pechili, for Swatow and Shanghai, 8 Per Dale, for Bangkok, 41 Chinese. Per Hardwick, for Shanghai, 6 Chinese.

TO DEPART.

Per Glenfinlas, for London, 1 European.

Per Hoihow, for Shanghai, 12 Chinese: SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Esmeralda reports: N.E. gale the whole of passage. The British steamer Glenfinlas reports: Strong wind with gloomy weather and occasional showers of small rain. The Chinese steamer Pautah reports

Strong N.E. gale and rainy throughout. The British steamer Amoy reports: Strong N.E. wind and high sea, and rainy weather from Namki to port. The British steamer Glenartney reports Left London Oct. 29th : had moderate wea-THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM | ther to Port Said, and was detained four NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship days in Canal on account of a steamer Captain E. Ashbown, with ashore, had moderate winds half way down Red Sea, then strong head winds and sea,

experienced favourable weather across the Indian Ocean, and arrived at Singapore on Dec. 6th. left on 7th, and had severe weather up the China Sex. commencing with Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office moderate head winds and increasing to a perfect gale with tremendous sea, causing the ship to labour heavily, latterly had thick weather and rain, and arrived at Hongkong Dec. 14th.

> Strong squally monsoon and thick weather. POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The British steamer Kamtchatka reports

MAILS will close:-For AMOY .-Per Esmeralda, at 9.30 a.m. To-morrow, the 15th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA,— Per Lennox, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 15th inst. Hongkong, December 14, 1881. de26 For STRAITS AND BOMBAY,-Per Geelong, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 15th inst_

> For SHANGHAL .-Per Glenariney, at 3:30 p.m. To-morrow, the 15th inst. Per Chinking, at 3.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 15th inst.

For SWATOW. Per China, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the For SWATOW AND BANGKOK. -Per Ashington, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,

the 16th inst. For NAGASAKI AND SAN FRANCIS-Per Mary Tatham, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 17th inst. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW,-Per Namoa, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 17th inet.

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS ${f CALCUTTA.-}$ Per Japan, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday the 20th inst. For KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

Per Takasago Maru, at 11.30 a.m., on A PARADE and Inspection of the Volunteer Friday, the 23rd inst. For PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYD NEY MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, three o'clock to-morrow atternoon. &c., &c., &c.--

Per Meath, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the

For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNS YILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY MELBOURNE, NEW ZEALAND &c., &c., &c.--

day, the 24th inst.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Belgic, will Mr R. T. Rennie, Unief Justice at Yokobe despatched on FRIDAY 16th inst., with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Capada, ship of H.B.M.'s Supreme Court for Chine Honolula, Peru, &c., which will be and Japan, vacant by the death of Chief closed as follows 1-2.15 p.m. Registry ceases.

for Union Countries may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time orrespondence for Non-Union West Indies cannot be sent by this route. Hangkong, December 8, 1881.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping. Daylight.—Piny-on leaves for Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong. Daylight. -Glenfinlas leaves for London. Noon.—Mary Tatham leaves for San Francisco via Nagasaki.

3 p.m.—Lennox leaves for Singapore, &c. 4 p.m.-Chinking leaves for Shanghai. Auctions.

2 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture at St. John's Place, the residence of Thos. C. Hayllar, Esq.

General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, December 16 :--Daylight .- China leaves for Swatow. Noon. - Ashington leaves for Bangkok. 3 p.m.—Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co. Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco. 9 p.m.—Meeting of Perseverance Lodge SATURDAY, December 17:-

3 p.m.—Geelong leaves for Bombay.

9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall. SUNDAY. December 18:-Daylight. Namea leaves for Coast Ports. Goods per Bothwell Castle undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Monday, December 19 :--Noon. - French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Li-Tai and Shun-Tip. Noon.-Tenders for renewal of Paving in

Timber Store, &c., received by Naval Storekeener. 4 p.m.-Helios leaves for Straits, &c. Goods per Helios undelivered after this date subject to rent___ 9 p.m.—Meeting of Victoria Lodge.

Tuesday, December 20:---3 p.m.—Japan leaves for Singapore, &c. WEDNESDAY, December 21 :-Goods per Glenartney undelivered after

this date subject to rent. THURSDAY, December 22:-2 p.m.—Auction of Water-colors at No. 6. Queen's Road. FRIDAY, December 23:-

Victoria Regatta. Yokohama, &c. Noon.—Meath leaves for Australian

Canton Insurance Office in the General Agents' office. SATURDAY, December 24:-Victoria Regatta. Noon.—Tanadice leaves for Sydney, &c.

Monday, December 26:-

Call and Europe. SATURDAY. December 31:hama and San Francisco.

4 p.m.—English Mail leaves for Ports of

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Hongkong, June 1, 1876. PASSENCERS arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to consult the files of local, China, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies from these countries, are now filed for

BIRTH At Nullah-side, on the 14th Irratant, the Wife of Captain JAMES THORN, of the S.S. Nelson, of a Son.

The publication of this issue commenced at 7.25 p.m.

The China Mail. HONOKONG, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14:1881.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. A PRIVATE telegram has been received here

London a few days ago, all well.

THE R. Parsons has gone to Aberdsen Dock and the Sophie and Elise have come out. The Meath has gone to the Cosmopolitan.

and Government Fire Brigades will take place at the Central Fire Brigade Station at WE are requested to state that the gentlemen summoned as Special Jurors in the

case of Graca v. Pitman, set down for hear-

ing to morrow, need not attend until Thursday, the 29th inst, as the hearing of the Per Tannadice, at 11.30 a.m., on Satur- case has been postponed until that date. Brow the Shanghai Courier we learn the hama, has succeeded to the Chief Justice.

2.30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Letters take Mr Rennie's place at Yokohama of WILLIBO's Wanderers intend to put Promo lion and Goldica on the boards at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, on Saturday and dale Monday, 17th and 19th inst. A Christman

Justice French. Mr C. J. Hannen wil

Pantomime entitled "Harlequin Bluebeard " is in active preparation by the same company, and will no doubt afford a treat for the youngsters of the Colony.

WE'nre informed by the E. E. A. & China Telegraph Superintendent that the M. M. steamer Orus, with the next French mail, loft Galle at 11 p.m. on the 9th instant. She will not reach Hongkong, therefore, before the 22nd or 23rd. The following English mail steamer, due on Christmas Day, will most likely arrive here about the same date as the Oxus.

We have received complaints of the extremely slippery state of the bridge opposite Messrs Fenwick & Morison's premises, Praya East. The planks of this next structure are not ribbed or honey-combed in any way, and they are therefore very dangerous for ponies and passongers. A gentleman came to grief upon them the other morning, and ran a great risk of most serious injury. It is hoped that the Surveyor-General's Department will remove this danger

We believe that Mr Chadwick is busy at Noon.—Auction of Anamite Steamers his task of obtaining information as to the sanitation of the Colony. He has personally. inspected much already that is not particularly savoury, and his work is far from fin ished. A day or two since he had a look at the Central Market, the place whence comes the great bulk of the provisions for the British and Foreign Community. How he liked it, or how much he admired that palatial and sweet range of buildings, we have not heard. Indeed, it is understood that the Sanitary Inspector is not excessively communicative; and, all things considered, it is perhaps just as well that he should not be. Much is expected from this Noon.-Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for independent inspection, and it will be the sincere desire of all well-wishers of the Colony that it will exercise a beneficial 3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the effect upon the health and comfort of the inhabitants, both native and foreign.

FROM Canton we learn that the proceedings arising from the destruction by the mob of the Temple of Longevity have been brought to a close. On Saturday, the 10th instant, two men charged with having been connect. 3 p.m.-American Mail leaves for Yoko- ed with pulling down and firing the Monastery were sentenced to be beheaded on the spot where the Temple stood. Before the execution took place a lengthy proclamation was issued by H. E. the Vicercy and the Governor, and placarded on the front wall of the ruins. This document sets forth that the civil and military officers of the district had been unable to control the inhabitants so as to prevent the disturbance, and to avoid the destruction that took place; and that, in consequence of this, several of the civil officers, including the Magistrate of Namhoi, would be reported for censure, while two military officers of the rank of lieutenant had been dismissed.

We are glad to know from Mr Schmidt

that he has to-day received a letter from Mr Travers, German Consul at Canton, to Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water, the effect that that gentleman had seen the woman who lost her husband in the recentaffray with lekin cruisers, and her statement to him was totally different from that conveyed to her son here by a letter from some of her Canton friends. She informed the Consul that she had been brought. before the mandarins and examined by them as to the details of the affair, but she had received kind treatment at their hands, and no mention was made of flogging or other torture having been inflicted upon her. The evidence she gave to the mandarins was similar, we understand, to that she gave at the Consulate. As we said yesterday, the woman has been released, and after paying the rites of burial to her husband she will shortly returned to Hongkong Mr Travers says in his letter to Mr Schmidt that the whole affair is settled, by which we understand he simply means; so far as the boat-people are concerned, and that no reference is here intended to any compensation that he may try to obtain for Meeers Schmidt and Rapp for their less of time and illegal detention. It is difficult to imagino what could have induced the boat people's friends in Canton to write such deliberate falsehoods as they appear to have done; unless they anticipated a squeeze by playing upon the susceptibilities to the effect that the Meifoo had reached of the European residents here. It would, however, be very gratifying to know that the stories as to ill-treatment are entirely without foundation.

> HEDGE & Co.'s Weekly Shipping Report, Pagoda Ancherage, 3rd December: Arrivals During the Week. Nov. 27. Hae San, from Shanghal ; 28, Thales, from Hongkong; 20, Sin Nansing No. 2, from Shanghai 29, Gordon Castle, from Shang-

Departures During the Week.-Nov. 27 Cyclops, for London 27, Glensvon, for London; 30, Has San, for Shanghar; Dec. Theles, for Hongkong: 1 Gordon Carle, or London Shipping in Port. - Bets, Sin Nanzing

Hands & Co.'s Weekly Shipping Report

Pagoda Anchorage, 10th December :--Arrivels during the week Dec. 2, Willie, from Keelung | 3, Kwang Tung, from Hongkong | 6, Jason; from Shang, hai; 0, Has San, from Shanghai; Chin Si, from Shangha 7, Lee Yib. rom Keelung | 8, Namos, from Hongkong |), Glenfiniss, from Shanghai. Departures During the Week -- Dec. S.

Sin Nanzing No. 2, for Shangham, 8. Kwang Tung, for Hongkerng 5, Jason, for London 10, Has San, for Shanghai. Shipping in Poet.—Bets. Willie, Chin Si Lee Yili, Names, Glenfinias.

China.

FOOCHOW.

(Herald.)

will be pleased to learn that His Majesty the

King of Denmark has invested Mr J. Hen-

ningson, the well-known superintendent of

the Great Northern Telegraph Company,

with the Order of Knight of Dannebrog.

His Majesty has seen fit to confer this

honour upon Mr Henningsen in recognition

We are informed on good authority that

a portion of the sum of \$7,000, which was

stolen during the destruction by fire of

Messrs Piatkoff, Molchanoff & Co.'s Brick

ten manufactory at Sai Kun, as noticed in

our issue of the 22nd September, has been

recovered, and that the sum of \$2,092 has,

a few days ago, been sent to the Russian

Vice-Consul by Yeh Taotai for transmission

A large and full-grown leopard was killed

above the upper bridge the day before yes-

terday (6th), and its still-bleeding carcase

was brought down to the settlement yester-

day and offered for sale. The animal mea-

sured 7 feet in length from shout to tip of

tail, its body being 4 feet 8 inches in length,

and when placed upon the scales at the

Custom House it was found to weigh 70

catties (93 lbs.). The price demanded for

the entire carcase was 140 dollars, 40 dollars

alone being demanded for the skin. We

hear it was sold, but we do not suppose at

-It is currently reported among the Chi-

nese that Captain Lew Bush of the Arsenal

steamer Che An, who is well known among

the Foreign Community for his kind hospi-

tality, has been deprived of his command

of that vessel. The reported circumstance

of the cause of his deprival is that he came

down from Ningpo to convey the late Pro-

vincial Treasurer Sieh, who was appointed

Governor of Chekiang province, without the

orders, as it is said, of the Imperial Com-

missioner of the Arsenal fleet, although he

received a telegram from ex-Treasurer Sieh.

We cannot youch for the truth of this news

at present, although we have no reason to

SHANGHAI.

(N.-C. D. News.)

Captain Peuch, of the British barque Ed

"Under Two Flags: Shufeldt Preparing

heading given by a San Francisco journal

to a Washington despatch, dated October

29th, which thus describes the mission of

Commodore Shufeldt :- "Reports to the

Navy Department say that Commodore

Shufeldt is cruising on the coast of China

in the yacht of the Viccroy Li Hung-

chang, and two Chinese naval officers.

for the purpose of locating naval stations.

engaged in studying the Chinese language,

the Consulate from to-day.

doubt its accuracy

of his services in the Far East.

Our readers and the community in

"ENDYMION" in the Queenslander thu comments on the art of "chicken raising:"-

the 26th.

The game of chicken annexation is said to be a favourite and even a profitable amusement with Chinamen in these colonies and with negroes in the United States. but it is clear that it will not pay Europeans to go into it without much previous train-"John" is remarkable for definess of finger and thumb, and suppleness of movement generally, which may account for his success. " Sambo,", on the contrary, is notorious for the clumsiest hands and feet in creation; yet both love the sport and both, ouriously enough, become adopts at it. The oleaginous Sambo can charm get over the fence without disturbing the most vigilant of Cerboruses, and the Colestial maraudor will disappear with a sitting how small and disreputable is the behaviour of one Jonathan Shuttlewood at Toowamba, who in the clumsiest manner left the clearest possible traces of his nocturnal industry, suffered himself to be captured, and has got six months' hard labour for permitting a couple of fowls to go home with him from Mr Gibson's barn at Perservance Alas | the Caucasian again played out.

INQUEST. An inquest was held at the Government

Civil Hospital this afternoon before the Coroner, H. E. Wodehouse, Esq., and the following gentlemen-Messra H. A. Ritchie, L. Hauschild, and A. W. A. Wohlters, to enquire into the circumstances attending the death of a Chinese female named Li-Amui. Dr Marques, Assistant Superintendent of the Hospital, said that the body of deceased was brought in shortly after nine o'clock this morning. It is that of a Chinese female about twenty-two years of age, atomach he found mixed with rice a quanti- ivory fan worth \$2, lying on the table at Muddle Settlement. Our houseboats have of opium dross. He had handed the con- and has not since been seen. tents of the stomach to the Government ceased was flushed, froth issued from engaged in conversation with defendant. account. Mr P.'s is fitted with two fairsizthe mouth, the fingers were livid, and Last witness called him for a moment, and ed bunks and a cozy little stove. The I. from these and other symptoms he as he went to attend his master he noticed M. C. a is as comfortable as it could be; the an overdose of opium. There were no had previously been lying on the table was over, and looks so clean that they might do marks of violence on the body. Fung Afuk, an engineer employed at the Sham-shui Po Docks, said deceased was his wife. She was seventeen years of age and they had only been married eight months. He and him in Hollywood Road and gave him in his wife lived in the same house as charge of "an Indian Constable devil"; but his father, mother, and sisters. He went to bed last night about nine o'clock, leaving his wife sitting up in the same room. About midnight he was woke up by his sister, a girl of seven years of age, who told him that his wife had taken opium. He asked her how she know, and she re- steal anything, he would have taken some- and retainers, great and small, respectable Barrows, reports that on Wednesday at plied that deceased had told her so. Deceased | thing more valuable. was then lying on the bed in a state of insensibility. He at once went to a druggist's prisoner take up the fan. mixed it with warm water, and gave it to upon to say why he should not be fined for put off, and placed at the service of their began quarrelling, when the first pulled deceased to drink. She swallowed it, but contempt of court in making use of the Royal Highnesses. Arrangements had been out a long knife and cut the other across it did not have the desired effect, to make expression "Indian Constable devil." His made for their arrival to be signalled from his breast, making a fearful gash. The her vomit. Finding he could not do her excuse was he did not mean to say it. His the Light-houses and passed up by the unfortunate man was taken by the Captain any good he went out to look for a doctor, Worship however fined him in the sum of Chinese gunboats. At two p.m., however, into his state-room and treated until a wanther dose of the medicine. Still she imprisonment. did not vomit, and about six o'clock this morning she died. On the table in the Inspector Mathieson said that defendant this morning which were to be handed to bring the man up to Shanghai to-day, room he found a cup containing the remains | had been in gaol before, once for breaking | them upon their arrival. of opium dross, but he did not know where into a dwelling house in the day-time 3.45 p.m.—No sign of their R.H's yet, the arrest of the offender. she ruld have procured it. She had made and stealing clothing from it, and once but we are all on the qui vite. - Mercury no complaint of anything having happened. as a rogue and vagabond. He had Correspondent. together. He had no idea why she should and the police have had their eye upon him afternoon Prince Albert Victor went ashore the evening: "Success to the first great commit suicide. She had been to visit a for some time. friend at Kowloon only the day before this occurred, but he did not know that that had anything to do with it. Neither she nor any one in the house was in the habit of taking opium. The little girl who had told last witness about his wife taking opium, said that she was woke up by her sister in-law who said "I have him this morning that a woman had hair-pin was of gold and was worth \$6. low. He gave her an emetic but it was too calling out "snatch things," and saw her knew the family well. They were strictly ran, "I did not do anything," He was slightest idea that there were suspicious cir- in an opium divan.

Police Intelligence. (Before Frederick Stewart, Esq.) Wednesday, Doc. 14

turned a verdict of "felo de se."

THE TAL TAM ATTACK. This case again occupied a considerable portion of the time of the Court to day. Most of the evidence given was productly the same as that given at the inquest. The following two witnesses had not been previously

27th nit the deceased and witness went on duty at midnight. Deceased's beat was No. 1 and that of deceased was No. 2. About two o clock a.m. P. C. Hill, who was on and carrying dangerous weapons. patrol duty, met witness and had some conversation with him, and then proceeded towards the village. About five minutes afterwards witness heard two musket shots. coming from the direction of the village. Witness ran in the direction of the sound, BAW P. O. Hill standing there and blowing West, on the 11th instant. his whitele. The decessod constable was lying near him. He undered witness to re- he had sold the engar and was only packing at the fourth watch. The next night all main there while he went and made a report it up.

the bushes, and fired his carbine. noise stopped but he saw no one. Witness spoke to the wounded man and asked him what was the matter. Deceased said four men fired at him and that he had fired in They had run towards Tai-tam Deceased said he was in much pain and he that was dving. Witness afterwards in company with Inspector Fleming and a party searched the roads leading to Victoria and Aberdeen. He afterwards returned to his best. The sound which came from the bushes was "Tsau Tsau," ("run, run")-

There were two or three distinct voices. Kaiham Khan, P.C. 562, said that on the morning of the 27th while in his own house in Stanley, he heard two musket shots. He ran out and went in the direction of the sound, and at the junction of the roads came upon a wounded man. was the deceased. Last witness was standing beside him. He spoke to deceased. After some search on the read leading to Victoria, he returned to the station, and then searched in company with Chan Afoo, the road leading to Aberdeen. They found a bed quilt on the road. It was lying as if it had been thrown down. There was fresh blood on it. About twenty yards further on they found another quilt. About forty yards further on still there were found a pair of trousers, a jacket, a handkerchief, and a

child's headdress. They continued the search for another two miles, but finding nothing else the plumpest rooster into his embrace and they returned to the station. From where the blood-stained blanket was found for a distance of about a mile witness observed blood stains, of about the size of a cent and separated from each other by about a poor Madame Kluk-kluk has fully realised | yard. About half-past one witness returned the situation. Beside such performances to the Aberdeen Road, and near the stone

> Shallow Water Bay) between Stanley and By Mr Holmes :- Witness had seen first defendant three times. . Witness did not know where he lived. He had searched bundles of grass cut by the first and fifth defendants to see if there was any young

branches. A plan of the roads about Tai Tam, and of the house attacked, prepared by Mr G. J. King. Clerk in the Police Department, was

The case was adjourned till Saturday next

(Before H. E. Wodehouse, Esq.)

Sultan Khan, a watchman unemployed, fan on the 8th instant.

The case was opened on Monday last when Chan Shing Chau, a pawn-broker of and have been interviewing H.B.M.'s Consul Tai-ping-shan Street, said that the prisoner came into his shop on the afternoon of the with this object in view. and was in a healthy condition. He had 8th instant and engaged in conversation held a post mortem examination, and in the with one of the shopmen. There was an night to await and escort them up to our ty of powder which had all the appearance | the time, but it disappeared during his visit | all been loaned, and I understand there's

> afternoon in question he was in the shop | looking-glass and may be selected on that prisoner leaving the shop. A fan which | Consul's has just been painted white all I nowhere to be seen.

the purpose of recovering the fan. He met | and distractions. him to the station himself.

hard labour.

stealing an ear-pick on the 13th instant. poisoned herself he went to the house and P. C. 195, Henny Kum, said he was here for the lakes this afternoon. Courier to Run-the Chinese Navy," is the romantic found doceased lying on a bed dressed walking in Queen's Road yesterday evening | Cor. She was not dead, but her pulse was very in plain clothes when he heard last witness late to do her any good. The people in chasing defendant. He joined in pursuit the house seemed to be a good deal put and caught him at the entrance to a lane, about over the matter. The little girl, first but he got away again. Witness followed witness, and his mother were crying. He and heard the prisoner calling out as he

cumstances connected with the case. He Defendant said that the last witness was satisfied with the enquiry so far as it came to him in an opium divan and

> make any statement of that kind when brought to the station. He simply denied

tioned these things when he got to the told him he could say what he liked before the Magistrate. The constable out for the night. One morning towards Rev. Wm. Muirhead presided at the meetmaked him about Chan Akam because he the close of November two horses were knew him (defendant) to be a bad character. He admitted three previous convictions, found dead and grievously mutilated on the Sentence six months' imprisonment with

Cheung Acheung, a shop-keeper, appeared on a summons at the instance of P.O. 134. and while running he heard some eight or charged with causing an obstruction to the shots. When near the junction public thoroughfare by leaving 90 hags of of the footpath with the road witness angar on a portion of the footpath in Prays

While standing there witness heard a noise in Fred 85.

BIRING CRACKERS. Ho Loi, residing at house No. 48, Hollywood Road, appeared on a summons at the instance of Sergeant McKay, charged with firing crackers in the public streets on the

Defendant admitted the charge and said the occasion was his master's marriage.

DRUNK AND DISORDEBLY. August Johansen, a scaman unemployed was charged with being drunk, and assault been dug for it on the bank of the river. ing the police on the 13th instant. Defendant was arrested by Sergt. Butlin in Square Street for being drunk, but as he had

an objection to the Sergeant's attention he Defendant admitted the charge, and was fined \$2, in default seven days' imprisonment with hard labour.

Robert Samuel Gerrard, another seaman unemployed, was charged with being drunk and disorderly on the 13th instant. Defendant admitted the charge, as also two previous convictions of a similar nature, and was fined twenty-five cents or one. day's imprisonment.

MORE OBSTRUCTIONISTS. A batch of seven owners of licensed boats | now; and His Excellency the Governor appeared on summonses issued at the instance of P.C. 574, Surdool Singh, charged with unlawfully obstructing the footpath of Prays West by placing large quantities of Mail-bags.

firewood there on the 11th instant. The Constable who laid the informations against defendants said they all had their boats alongside the Praya Wall and had piled the firewood on the Praya for sale. bridge found a hair pin. Witness knew This had been going on for several days, two of the defendants (first and fifth) to be and although he had teld them to remove grass cutters at place called Tsing Shui Wan | the obstruction they took no notice. The defendants made various excuses-

discharging cargo, denying the ownership of the firewood, &c., &c. His Worship remanded the case till the 20th instant.

ARRIVAL OF THE PRINCES AT NINGPO.

The Royal Middies are expected here to morrow, and we have just had the weather changed for their especial benefit. They will see Snowy Valley to perfection if they go there, as we have been enduring nearly two weeks of min in order to have all the waterfalls there in perfect working order. I am afraid that some of our inconsiderate residents have been making the wildfowl very wild up at the lakes, so that the Princes need not expect an over large appeared on remand charged with stealing "baz" there, unless some weary flocks accompany them down from the North. The Chinese Authorities I hear are very anxious to do them all the honour they can.

One of our Pilots left for outside last a little high feeling as to whose boat they Lo Kwan, a shopman, said that on the shall go in. W. & Co.'s is fitted with a him the honour; mais, chacun à son gout Ng Alan, a partner of the first witness, and all our boats have their attractions or said he went in search of the prisoner for rather I should perhaps say, contractions,

About noon to-day Ningpo officialdom he refused to take him. Witness then took | was in a state of great excitement, as the Vigilant was expected up on "the flood" Defendant said the last witness was his with Lord Clanwilliam and their Royal friend, and he had gone to see him about a Highnesses. The Custom House surroundman who had borrowed some money. He inguand compound were littered with the Taonever touched the fan; if he had wanted to tai's and various other officials body-guards The Commissioner's midnight, one of his crow came on board First witness recalled, said he saw the house-boat, and all the Customs' gigs had in an intoxicated condition, and created had an extra clean up and were ready and disturbance in the fore-castle. Another The withess Ng Alan was then called manned "lying to" at the jetty ready to be man also under the influence of liquor, but not being able to find one he gave her 85 for contempt, in default three days they had not arrived, but our doubts were surgeon could be summoned, which was allayed when it became known that H. B. done at the shortest possible notice. The On the case being called again to-day M.'s Consul had received letters for them doctor stated that he would be able to

as she had been in good spirits throughout | charged two months ago on account of | hound arrived in this port shortly before | Northern Telegraph Company, to celebrate the day. She had not quarrelled with any being concerned in some brothel row in noon to-day, with Lord Clanwilliam and the successful completion of the Shanghaione, in the house, and they all got on well Upper Lascar Row. He is a regular loafer, the royal middles on board. Early in the Tientsin Telegraph Line. The toast of on liberty, attended by two of the officers, | Telegraph Line in China," coupled with Sentence, six months' imprisonment with and after paying a visit to the Consular | the name of its promoter, the Vicerwy Offices and inspecting the Band, the of Chihli, was proposed by Mr Helland and illustrious visitor proceeded to H.B.M.'s enthusiastically received, and responded Consul's House not without (as was per- to by Mr Ching To-ches, the Director of Lo Ki On, a coolie, was charged with feetly natural) taking a look at our Coffee | the Chinese Telegraph Administration House and Sailors' Rest, with which in Shanghai. Besides the Taotai, the chief Low A-Ng, a married woman residing in he appeared much pleased. Later on officers of the Telegraph Company and the Fat Hing Street, said that she was walking | the American Consul honoured the following Chinese gentlemen were present : taken opium, but you must not tell my in the Queen's Road yesterday evening Vigilant with a visit, having borrowed Chen, Magistrate of the Mixed Court; mother about it," She looked as if she when she met defendant. He snatched a one of the gigs belonging to the Admiral Chang Koh-ying, Chan Si-kun, hair-pin from her hairand ran away. She | Custom House for the purpose, on which he | Chu Yu-chee, Manager China Merchants' new clothes on. She bid the witness be ran after him and saw a constable arrest (much to the disgust of the Harbour Mas- S.N. Co., Ching To-chee, King Lina good girl and obey her mother. Inspector him in a lane. She saw him pass the hair-ter) insisted the substitution of his stars and shan, manager of the Chinese Telegraph, Cameron said that when it was reported to pin to another man who also ran off. The stripes for the Imperial dragon. The royal Shanghai, Tseng Lai-sun, and U Yik-nam. party and friends will, I am informed, leave

Canton.

The City of Shiu Kwan on the North River has been recently honoured with the industrious people, and he had not the ultimately caught as he was taking refuge presence of a most ferocious tiger. The parade ground of that City is a large triangular space at the junction of the Lok had gone, and saw no reason to think that asked him to point out a man named Cheung and Nam Hung rivers, with the there had been anything wrong. After a Chan Akam, promising that if he did south wall of the city for its base. Twenty into trouble, but if he did not he would be or thirty ponies are generally grazing on taken to the station. On the way to the the ground in question belonging to people preparatory to his work as an instructor in region. station the constable saked him to say that in the city and to the soldiers who live at mayal science." the parade ground barracks. The ponies Inspector Lindsay said defendant did not belonging to owners within the city may be Maru from Japan, and resumes charge of seen towards evening wandering back unsttended, of their own sweet will, to the and matter-of-course fashion : but those belonging to the soldiers are generally left that the horses had been stabled by some six more horses were found dead and mutifilated, and the boat-people anchored at repeated manifestations of approval. the south spur of the parade ground reported that they had seen a monstrons tiger Defendant admitted the charge, but said a visit to the parade ground and return

but the brute repeated its visit and carried clauses," writes our contemporary, "the rain that fell-here must guarantee a good reappeared a few days ago, when he renow. off a pig and two dogs. One of the soldiers says it made the ground tremble with its roar when it departed. A few days after, it was caught whilst swimming the river again about seven miles below the city, and drowned, so one report says in a fisherman's net. Another report says obtained great powers over China to be as high as 48°. it met its death in a flooded pit that had used at some convenient season: and The brute weighed 280 cattles and was pur- turned in the direction of the extreme M. Koyander, the Russian Charge d'Af- term, failing which, he will have to remain chased for 100 dollars by the Chan Toi who east. has great faith in tiger medicines. By the Two gentlemen, well-known in the cricketbye, the Hongkong Government ought to purchase a few tiger-carcases for the use of the Belilios medical students who are to

The latter gentleman has been for years captain of the Middlenex County Eleven. and probably has done as much in the instudy native as well as foreign methods of terests of cricket, from every point of view, practice and to combine the advantages of as any man living. From a practical point both. It won't do to start those poor felof view, he is one of the finest cricketers who lows out upon native practice without a line ever entered a cricket field, a fine bat, splendid field, and good change bowler, and proper outfit of native material or the native as a captain there never existed a better. mothods of practice won't have a fair trial. In all the great matches of recent years, in which Mr I. D. Walker has taken a pro-Shill Kwan is quite a thriving tiger-market minent part, he has invariably been appointed captain; and after his tour in the perhaps might ask the Viceroy to allow the East, it is to be hoped he will again, resume his position on the cricket field at tiger-carcases to be sent down in the Yamen We have received to-day (7th) the first

copy of the Northern Post, a new paper,certainly of small dimensions-just published in Tientsin. The port under notice is a growing one, and at no distant date will under notice bids fair to become a fair Smith, was shot in two places. The Diana record of local matters, and we wish it all success. In the opening address of the where wounded men received necessary meeditor he states:-"Tientsin has now reached the point in its history, when it becomes very necessary that itshould possess + a daily or weekly newspaper, the latter would probably be sufficient for its immediate requirements. The Shipping Report, however, having to be printed daily; was considered the most available means of meeting the present need of our rapidly growing port. It will thus be seen that this is our own old acquaintance "The Shipping Report" in a new form, and we send it forth hoping it may meet with a large measure of public favour, and support. We shall do our best to deserve both, and i successful, our readers will soon behold their local paper increase in size and enlarge its columns. We intend to publish all items of local and general news that will be likely to interest our readers, also, the usual shipping intelligence and meteorological observations from Taku. Our advertisement columns will, we trust, be found advantageous to the community, and largely made use of. We cannot promise more. and now commend the Northern Post to the favourable consideration of our friends, trusting that with their generous support, and assistance, it may have a long career of

The appointment of Tso Tsung-t'ang to the Nanking Viceroyalty is said to have had the month in question amounted to a good effect upon his health. Yesterday, \$1,296,271. which was also his birthday, was the expiry of his furlough, and he will therefore proceed very shortly, some say as early as the 10th moon 16th day, to the South, visiting his native province of Hunan for two months. Until he reaches Nanking, the present incumbent there cannot deliver up the seals of office, according to Chinese etiquette. of fires, as compared with former years, as a high degree, and other offences, for which the past three or four months, -three of he has been deprived of his lucrative post which occurred within as many weeks. and called to Peking to give in an account | Fortunately, except in one instance, the of his stewardship, for he may be no longer | buildings consumed have been only attap or Viceroy. Tso has still some little trouble plank buts. On Wednesday night, the 30th in his lower limbs, but it is not thought ult., the police, the members of the fire

trict of Kanchou in Kansuh, on the 15th fire in Town. The burning building proved day of the 16th moon (July 10th:) Of men, to be merely a large attap but amongst a women and children forty-two were killed numerous collection of similar constructions and twenty-seven injured; of animals over styled Campong Martin; just across the chou, two hundred and forty-seven were pative police and sailors, were soon on the killed, including men, women, and chil- spot, but could not be got to work, and the when a summons could be taken out for dren; one hundred injured, a large hut, with a quantity of dammar and oils; number of houses destroyed, and three burned for upwards of an hour, all efforts We hear that the Taotai of Shanghai hundred animals killed. This was follow- being directed to prevent the spread of the and several other Chinese mandarins were ed, in the 7th moon, on the 3rd, 4th fire, with such good effect that the neighentertained on Thursday night by Mr and 7th days, by a dreadful down-pour bouring huts, composed of the same inflamwhat could have been the matter with her, man by the Opium Farmer, but was dis- The English gunboats Vigilant and For- Helland, General Agent of the Great of rain, in which seven persons were mable material, were preserved from daminundated. The Emperor is requested to brigade, we are glad to be able to state, relax taxes and to dispense charity.

> and collection of duties upon opium stand an opportunity, would no doubt have renin abeyance for the present. There are now three Powers who may be said to have antiopium-clauses in their treaties with China, horse power, Captain J. W. East, from viz. the United States, Brazil and Russia. Hongkong with dates to the 18th November, The point was brought forward when the anchored in the roads yesterday evening Brazilian treaty was being negotiated last (2nd). The Concus, like her sister ships the year; but as it was feared it might be an Curacoa. Carysfort, and Cleopatra, is built insult to Great Britain, the clause was not of steel. The long voyage of the Comus agreed to. Before, the late notification, from Hongkong to this port may be achowever, we believe the Chinese had at counted for by the fact that she made the last succeeded in inserting the clause, the passage almost entirely under sail. treaty with the U.S. having paved the way On Wednesday, Inspector Warne sucfor both the Chinese and Brazilians. There | ceceded in bringing to justice a well known was a rumour some months ago that the swindler, who has been for some years past new Russian trenty would also contain such practising his arts with more or less success, a clause. We looked in vain however for it but has often succeeded in escaping punishin any of the translations of that treaty, but ment. He was a Malacca Chinese, giving we believe it is to be found, like the British his name as Ong Song Tek, who went about treaty contains nothing with regard to born residents of Singapore, claiming aclately in regard to the Kuldja treaty, that | be able to bring it to the recipient. At it permitted the Russians to convey opium other times he was the brother, son, or into China. There are a few who believe nephew of a wealthy Chinese gentleman, He hopes to organize an imperial system of

A tea meeting and entertainment took Temperance Society. About 150 persons sat down to a capital ten at 7 o'clock. The tionable authority that the published text way of science to teach the Japanese.

hint to this effect in the Daily News several weeks ago, and it is now apparently leak-

purport of which has been communicated wheat harvest for next year. The moisture od his tricks, victimizing another European to London, and no doubt other capitals, an was absorbed by the earth, and then the to the extent of two Japanese dollars, and offensive and defensive alliance, in given cold of the nights came and locked it up. Indding theft to his other offences, having cases, has been made between China and Previous to this rain, which fell during left in a shop an old dirty umbrella in place Russia:" in other respects the new treaty the 16th, 17th and 19th of the month, and of a new one that took his fancy. He was following mainly the import at provisions was unusually late—the nightly fall of dew thied before Mr Trotter, in the Police of the Convention made by Ch'ung Hou. was very considerable. We have seldom Court, on Wednesday, under five distinct. The information of the Guzette leads it to had such a mild season at this time of the charges, and a previous conviction having the belief that in addition to a mere year. The thermometer at night falls as been proved against him, he was sentenced

and Lady Wade are expected to reach the imprisonment up to two yours. capital on the same day. The Customs mails ng world, arrived by the Japan Mail to-day. | are advertised to begin running via Chin- rival of the Young Princes, it behaves the We refer to Messrs R. D. and I. D. Walker. | kiang'on 15th December. "The howling-alley Government and the Reception Committee take the place of the one burnt last winter. The Japanese military attache, Major Kajiyama, has returned after three months' tour in Manchuria and the North of Corea.

Japan. YOROHAMA.

-N. U. D. News.

dical attendance...

Hanan Mail. The schooner Diana arrived at Yokohama on the 26th alt. flying her flag at half-mast. When her crow had been fired upon by the natives of Copper Island, two Europeans were wounded and three Japanese were kill-Subsequently another Japanese died of heart-disease. Fritz von Welt received no less than six balls, and will probably be a have been severed. The other European remained for nine days in Petropaulovsky,

Manila.

(Translated from our Manila Exchanges. A partial eclipse of the Moon was observed on the night of the 5th December. The night was all that could be desired for witnessing such an astronomical event, and the silvery planet began to be eclipsed at the calculated hour (10.19.44 p.m.) and terminated at 4.04.20 of the 6th.

The British ship Lothair arrived at Manila from Australia and Hongkong on the 5th December; five days from the latter port. The French barque Peabody arrived at Manila on the 5th December from New-

The gumboat Daring left Manila on the 5th December.

The British gunboat Moorhen arrived at Manila on the 3rd December from Singapore and Labuan. She left again on the 6th. A yessel arrived from Hongkong the other day with some 20,000 slabs of stone for road pavement. Another vessel is expicted with a like consignment. As anticipated, the Customs collection for the month of November last was in excess of the corresponding month last year by \$44,990.99. The total sum collected during

the month this year was \$146,597.12 .- The value of exciseable goods exported during

Singapore. (Times.) Singapore has latterly acquired an unen-

viable notoriety with respect to the number in has been charged with covetousness in | we have had no less than four fires during very important, and some years of usefulness | brigade, and the residents, were aroused from their slumbers by the guns from Fort There was a severe earthquake in the dis- Cumning and signal lanterns indicating a one hundred were killed, and of houses one river from Havelock Road, in the vicinity hundred and twenty apartments, or chien, of Whampon's Bakery. The steam fire destroyed. At another place, called Chich- engines, with a number of European and turned out to the number of about 60, and, The contemplated changes in the amount | as their officers were present, had they had

dered a good account of themselves. H.M.S. Comus, 14 guns, 2,383 tons, 2,500

one, in the tariff. The new Russo-Chinese amongst Europeans and well-to-do Malaccaopium which was not found in the old one. quaintance and representing himself as The Berlin Correspondent of the Morning sent with a message or parcel, for which he Post is therefore wrong when he telegraphed required boat or carriage hire, in order to naval administration to take the place of that Russia might become a formidable and usually paid his visits to the ladies of the present barbaric methods of govern- rival of India for the noxious drug, and the house, whom he was more readily able ing, equipping and paying the Chinese more especially now as the new treaty opens to hoodwink, generally ending up by asking naval services. Lieutenant Mannix has up favourable commercial opportunities in the loan of 85 for immediate use, to save been made a mandarin, and is busily the north-west, and seeing that Central Asia him the delay and trouble of going to his would prove an excellent poppy-growing father's or his uncle's office, and which he would surely return the next day. Thear that the entire number of Japanese | was enabled to do this with impunity. Mr E. Shinagawa, H. I. J. M. Consul- youths—thirteen in all-studying Chinese owing to the fact that many of his dupes General, arrived yesterday (8th) per Nagoya at the capital are ordered back to Japan, were both to confess how easily they had to the very great regret of the students fallen into so open a trap; but he was themselves, their Chinese teachers, and once convicted in Malacca, and once in their European friends. This step is prob- Singspore. After an interval of seveplace last evening (8th) at the Temperance ably dictated by a desire for retrenchment, rai years, he again turned up, and the Defendant now said that he had not men- houses of their owners in the most domure Hall, under the members which Japan appears to need so badly, success of his rescality having embolhere, ashore and affect, of the Royal Naval They leave the capital all together on Dec. dened him, he essayed a higher flight. 2nd. This will throw a number of Chinese | Not long ago he went to the Sailors' teachers of Kuan-hua out of employment, Home, where he represented himself as who during the past two or more years the nephew of a strawelly or her who ing which followed, and all the Temperance have had pretty lucrative engagements. required some officers, engineers, &c. organisation in Shanghai were represented The only Japanese, or as we should now for a seeamer. Having made his among the audience. Several regitations probably say Niponese, remaining in pelection of officers, &c., he took them down two of largeny, and one of having no pees parade ground. It was suspected at first and songs were well given by friends from Peking will be those of the diplomatic to a Chinaman's shop, where he told the H.M.S. Curaços, and a young lady who service, which too has been stripped of all shopkeeper, in Chineso, that these men played a plane solo for the first time, we supernumerary members. Japan in this wished to purchase some goods, and that local "Land Leaguers" from motives of re- believe, at the Temperance Hall, elicited respect seems imitating Chins, in with they were quite safe as to payment. He venge. The following morning, however, an enthusiastic encore. The Rev. Chair drawing her educational students. The then pressed upon them several articles as man delivered an able address, which was Japanese come to study the spoken man. "presents" from himself, which were duly attentively listened to, and received with darin only, as they have a perfectly good charged against them by the vendor. On knowledge of the written character in their going back, he asked his dupes if they had The Japan Gazette has heard on unques- own country. China has nothing in the any Japanese dollars, as he was collecting that description of coin to make a belt. As of the Tseng treaty of St. Petersburg is fer The weather remains very mild. There a matter of course they had, and being fully swim the river at the second watch, make from being a complete document. Our have been one or two attempts at anow, but persuaded of the bona fides of their Chinese Sarpedon (a.) readers will remember that we conveyed a such efforts are usually frustrated at Peking friend, each gave him a few dollars, which Leeries (a.) by the North-west blows. In the neigh- he would positively return the value of in bourhood of Tientain we hear however of a day or so, when they were to be shipped. Brambletye. the horses were safely stabled of course, ing out elsewhere. By supplementary very considerable fall of snow. The late Having got the money, he disappeared, but Chistle.

nominal money indemnity. Russia, has low as 21° and rises in the day in the shade to several terms of six months each, and to two separate inflictions of twenty stripes Mr Pitman is still here, but he is expect- each, besides being bound over to find Russian aggression, foiled in-India, is being ed shortly to take his flight southwards. security for good behaviour for a stated faires, leaves on 1st December. Sir Thomas in jail. This will bring his total term of

In the uncertainty as to the date of ar-

is the chief diversion here at present, inter- to take early measures to decide what form mixed with dinners and dancing-parties. this reception is to take, and what displays A new sknting-rink is being got ready to and pageants, if any, are to be provided in their honour. Our Hongkong friends are exerting themselves to the utmost, the Committee making public in the columns of the daily papers their outline programme, and making suggestions for the independent action of individuals to produce a pleasing whole. This is especially necessary with regard to decorations, the illumination of the town, and a proposed procession of illuminated boats, for which the Committee rely upon individuals, as they cannot di course carry out these suggestions, and can do no more than set the ball rolling. The illumination is proposed to be effected by means of Chinese paper lunterns of variegated colours, of which a very large number would be required to render the display effective; but we see no reason why, with probably consider journalism an absolute cripple for life, as the sinews of the legs a little goodwill and a hearty co-operation among our Chinese traders on Market Street, Boat Quay, and other leading thoroughfares, a very effective illumination should not be possible in Singapore. An illuminated procession of boats would scarcely be desirable here, the lights only serving to bring out more prominently their want of symmetry and cleanliness. The public. however, would be glad to know what has been decided upon, if anything, and at least to learn what is actually in contemplation. It is evident that much time will be consumed in preparation for any decorative display, and therefore those expected to take part in it ought to be informed in good season.

Quotations.

HONOKONO, December 14.

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